



Drivers License is defined as “*..authorization to operate a ‘motor vehicle’*.”

As per 18 U.S. Code § 31 – Definitions:

(6) Motor vehicle.—

The term “motor vehicle” means every description of carriage or other contrivance propelled or drawn by mechanical power **and used for commercial purposes on the highways in the transportation of passengers, passengers and property, or property or cargo**.

- What defines a motor vehicle? The word “Vehicle”
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- As per Virginia Title 46.2.100 “Vehicle” means every device in, on or by which any *person or property* is or may be **transported** or drawn on a highway
- “Transported” is not defined in the code or a legal dictionary, thus we look to the definitions of
- “Transport” and “Transportation”
- “Transport” is defined by the words “carry” and/or “convey” (convey is for title of property)
- “Carry” remains. “Carry” is defined by the words “bear”, “sustain” “remove” “convey” “transport”
- “Bear” is defined by “support”, “sustain” or “carry”

